

**W**E have a new manager for our Shoe Department, and like all new men he doesn't approve of some of the moves of his predecessor—don't like some of the stock. No one knows why as the lots he disapproves of have been the best sellers and have given universal satisfaction, but he says they must go and the following big discounts will move them at once.

LOT 15—36 pairs French Calf, hand-sewed square toe. Were \$5. To close.....	\$2.50
LOT 20—30 pairs, French Patent Calf, razor toe. Were \$4.98. Now.....	\$3.25
LOT 21—Forty pairs, Pat. Calf, button, piccadilly toe. Were \$5. Closing price.....	\$3.25
LOT 22—30 pairs, French Calf, Bon Ton toe. Were \$5. Closing price.....	\$3.25
LOT 23—24 and 25—61 pairs Patent Calf, Boston toe—some with tip—others plain. Were \$5. Now.....	\$3.50
LOT 24—28 and 30—61 pairs Russia Calf, Hala and Congress, plain and square toe. Were \$5. Now.....	\$3.00
LOT 25—28 pairs French Enamel leather, calf lined, opera and razor toe. Were \$5. Now.....	\$3.75
LOT 26—42 and 45—50 pairs Enamel leather, duke or plain toe, Hala and Congress. Were \$5. Now.....	\$3.50
LOT 27—42 and 45—50 pairs Russia and calf, Scotch sole, razor toe. Were \$4. To close.....	\$2.25
LOT 28—21 pairs Corbin Seal, calf lined. Were \$5. Now.....	\$4.25
One lot of 75 pairs, miscellaneous styles, broken sizes. Were \$5. Now.....	\$1.50
LOT 29—45 pairs Patent Calf, Congress, square toe. Hala to Congress. To close.....	\$3.50

Better come as early as you can—as first choice is always best. The pair you want is here today, may not be tomorrow.

**Robinson, Chery & Co.,**  
CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS, HATS, SHOES.  
12TH AND F STREETS.

## Clothe the CHILDREN

—quickly while this splendid offer of FRIEDLANDER'S holds good. The materials couldn't be bought for the price asked.

300 Children's Splendid Suits at 90c  
200 Children's Combination Suits, extra Pants and Cap to match. Real value \$1.00. Our price.....

**H. Friedlander & Bro.**  
Corner Ninth and E Sts.

## Boys' Combination Suits at \$1.85.

We offer a grand value to parents for today. It's a magnificent Boys' Combination Suit for all ages, from six to fifteen years. This fine suit consists of complete suit and extra pants, and also a handsome little Golf Cap to match, for only

**\$1.85.**

**New York Clothing House,**  
311 Seventh Street.

\$7.50 That's our reasonable bottom price for a first-class, finely made and finished  
**SUIT**  
of all-wool material and excellent and durable fitting. A  
\$7.50 **TOP COAT**  
for Spring, which we sell at the same figure, is worth what the other dealers usually ask \$10 for. It's a grand value.

**Dyrenforth's**  
621 Penn. Ave.  
Under Metropolitan Hotel.

**Your Credit Is Good—**  
and your opportunities for furnishing your home are the very best here.  
**HOUSE & HERRMANN,**  
N. E. Cor. 7th and I Streets

Arbuckle's Coffee, 2c package. Standard Can Tomatoes, 6c can. Standard Sugar Corn, 4c. Best Sugar-cured Shoulders, 6c.

**Johnstons, 729 7th St.**  
Gibbons' BUTTER to BEST. Riggs and K Street Markets.

## ALL SORTS OF BAD PEOPLE

Many Bruised and Battered Plaintiffs and Defendants in Court.

Thugism in the City and Country During the Last Forty-eight Hours.

A large number of sore-headed and disgruntled people comprising the usual Monday morning contingent of plaintiffs and defendants, were present today in Judge Miller's police court. They were mainly representatives of the thug element in this city and in a majority of cases had gotten into trouble owing to an over-indulgence in strong drink on Saturday night.

Thomas Smallwood was the first culprit to be arraigned. He was charged with assaulting his wife, Julia.

"What did this man do to you?" asked his honor.

"Nothing," replied the wife. "He only shook me, knocked me down and kicked me."

The husband went on the stand and tried to convince the court that the rough usage of his better half was only a little piece of fun. The fun cost him \$5 or fifteen days in jail.

Alfred Thomas, an octogenarian, clad in a gown of eccentric silk, told Judge Miller that his husband, Charles Thomas, drew a kitchen knife and threatened to kill her.

Charles was a prisoner in the pen. His clothing was soiled and tattered, and in response to a question of his wife, he said he was a third-story man and only drew a kitchen knife.

William Woods was charged with slashing Edward Johnson across his breast with a knife. Both are colored, and the difficulty arose at Hillside several days ago. Woods said Johnson was drunk and jumped out of a second-story window. He was trying to get him home, and complained that because he was playing the part of a Samaritan he was charged with being a thug.

The evidence was strongly against Woods, and he went to jail for one month in default of a \$500 bond.

Henry Cooper, a gigantic negro, stole an American building revolver from a counterman's vest at the market.

He carried the gun about in his pocket, and was arrested by Policeman Miller while trying to use it on a colored woman in South Washington. The stolen pistol resulted in two charges against Cooper—larceny and carrying a weapon. He pleaded guilty and went to jail for eight months.

Charles was charged with assaulting Allan D. Hayworth. It was shown that Charles ejected Hayworth from his shop, which he had persisted in entering, in spite of a warning placard inscribed, "No admittance." The case was dismissed.

**REV. MR. ROTLER'S FUNERAL.**  
The remains will be interred at Congressional cemetery.

The funeral of Rev. John W. Rotler, who died Sunday evening at his residence, No. 227 Second street southeast, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Rev. Mr. E. Church, South, corner of Seventh and A streets northeast.

The services will be conducted by Rev. J. O. Knott, pastor of the church. The pallbearers will be representatives of the Academy, F. A. A. M., of which the deceased was a member. Interment, which will be private, will be made at Congressional cemetery.

**Spiritual Temple Bazaar.**  
The bazaar for the benefit of the Spiritual Temple fund, which closed at Masonic Temple Saturday evening last, was a great success, financially and otherwise. While the various booths were liberally patronized and their appearance greatly improved, the other features essential to a complete success of the enterprise were by no means lacking. Among the items of the interesting program provided throughout the affair was the fancy dancing of Prof. Charman's pupils, including Miss Isabelle Sheltou.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Licenses to marry have been issued as follows:  
Wesley W. Folin and Lucy May Davenport of Langley, Va.  
Frank Swider of St. Mary's county, Md., and Julia J. Denton of Nottoli, Va.  
William F. Swann and Emma Proctor.  
David E. Hammond of Hagerstown, Md., and Emma E. Goodrich.  
Samuel Thomas Brooks and Louise May McMahon, both of Zanesville, Ohio.  
John William Muller and Mary Theresa Kiefer.

**Wall Paper Dealer Assigns.**  
George S. Dunn, a wall paper dealer at No. 1242 Seventh street northwest, made an assignment today to Samuel H. Walker. His liabilities are estimated at \$4,323.84, and assets at \$3,863.35.

**William McBeth's Estate.**  
By the will of the late William McBeth, filed for probate today, his entire estate is left to his widow, Fanny McBeth, who is named executrix of the will. The paper was dated December 31, 1883.

**Men's \$3 "Gems."**  
— Strictly Hand-sewed —  
— Laced, Galters or —  
— Low Cut Shoes, —  
— Of best Domestic Calf, —  
— Genuine Kangaroo —  
— Or Tan or Wine Color —  
— Russia Calf or Vici Kid —  
— And Patent Leather, —  
At least \$1 a pair  
less than what other dealers charge for similar qualities.

**Wm. Hahn & Co's.**  
RELIABLE SHOE HOUSES.  
930-932 7th St. N. W.  
1914-1916 Pa. Ave. N. W.  
233 Pa. Ave. S. E.

## VICE SHALL NOT SPREAD

Judge Miller Says the Law Will Be Strictly Enforced.

### NOTORIOUS WOMAN FINED

Mrs. Sarah Morris Compelled to Pay \$50 for Maintaining a House of Evil Fame on Missouri Avenue—President Detective Hartigan Made a Clever Capture of the Culprit.

Judge Miller announced in the police court this afternoon that there would be no spreading of the "Division" vice about this fair city, if he can prevent it.

This announcement was called forth when his honor imposed a fine of \$50 and ten days' imprisonment in jail upon Mrs. Sarah Morris, who was charged by Sgt. Fatvey and President Detective Hartigan with conducting a bawdy house at No. 323 Missouri avenue.

Mrs. Morris has heretofore borne a good reputation. She is a woman past fifty years of age, and her house is sandwiched between the residences of highly respectable people.

The raid on her house Saturday night was brought about by a Philadelphia woman named Katie Burke, stylishly attired, and dashing-looking, who has only been here a few weeks.

**ERRAND OF EVIL.**  
Saturday night Katie went out upon her errand of evil. In the shadows of the tall buildings at the corner of Sixth and C streets northwest she spied a blonde man, clad in a spring costume, and at once made herself acquainted with him. She invited him to her house.

At the front door of the house they were met by an aged woman clad in youthful regalia, Elizabeth Daywalt, and a middle-aged man named Max Low, whom she had met.

Mrs. Morris appeared in the role of door-keeper and required the man with Katie to pay an entrance fee of \$1.

After he had learned all about the house and its occupants the blonde surprised the inmates by announcing himself as "President Detective Hartigan of No. 6."

Policeman Newark had been summoned in the meantime, and the inmates, Mrs. Morris, Katie Burke, a famous habitue of the Division, Elizabeth Daywalt and Max Low, were sent to the police station.

In Judge Miller's court today Katie Burke told of the arrangement she had made with Mrs. Morris. Mrs. Morris was to collect \$1 from each man at the door and afterward return it to Katie.

**MEET MEN AT THE MISSION.**  
Mrs. Daywalt, the aged woman in the fiery of youth, told of meeting Low at the mission. He was a stranger to her, and invited her to have a glass of beer. She invited him to go with her to Mrs. Morris.

The evidence was strongly against the defendant, and in imposing sentence Judge Miller spoke severely about bawdy houses being located in respectable localities and made the record of street walkers. He sympathized with Mrs. Morris, owing to her age, but the law in these cases must be enforced, and strictly so.

**AMBULANCE DRIVER RESIGNS.**  
J. E. Richmond, famous for Fast Runs, Give Up His Position.

Mr. James E. Richmond, who, for two years, has been the head driver of the police ambulance, has resigned to take a position as night watchman in the Treasury department.

He was sworn in last Saturday and entered upon his duties last night. Since Richmond, Mr. Richmond has been connected with the police ambulance department, he has been faithful to his post and has made some of the fastest emergency runs ever attempted in this city.

He was well liked by all throughout the department, and they very much regret losing him. It was through the efforts of Mr. Richmond that the patrol drivers, recruited in large numbers in their monthly pay at the last session of Congress.

**Incorrigible Boy Sentenced.**  
Frank Kerry, a small colored boy, was a prisoner in Judge Miller's court today, charged with incorrigibility. His mother appeared against him and testified that Frank associated with thieves and thugs, and would not obey her. She was afraid he would become a confirmed criminal. The boy was sent to the reform school during his minority.

**Charged With Playing Policy.**  
President Detective Hartigan of No. 6 had Milton S. Hatcher, an alleged policy writer, in the police court today charged with violating the policy law. Hatcher was arrested at the Baltimore and Potomac depot. He found a lot of policy papers and over \$2 in change on his person. A jury trial was demanded and the case went over.

**Wah Lee Fined and Sent to Jail.**  
Wah Lee, a Chinese laundryman, was arraigned in Judge Miller's court this morning, on charge of maintaining a gaming table, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 and go to jail for twenty-four hours.

**In Pursuit of the Derivatives.**  
Rome, April 13.—The government has received advices that Col. Stevan has purloined the derivatives to the Adana River, which divides Abyssinia from the Sudan, and turned their camp. Gen. Babissara, commander-in-chief of the Italian forces in Abyssinia, is concentrating his forces and moving them toward the relief of the Italian troops at Adigrat.

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Cash or Credit.

# Home Comforts

Mayer & Pettit,  
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And just now—today—is the time to attend to them.

## CASH OR CREDIT

Brings the housefurnishings to your door. Spring is with us—house-cleaning is in order—the parlor needs freshening up—a new easy chair here—a corner or center table there—a couch—some kitchen chairs—a drawing-room suite—a sideboard—a refrigerator—perchance only some needful kitchen utensils—and many needful spring reminders of (besides patent medicines)—and surely the baby must have a new carriage—and when each or all can be bought from us AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES and at terms to suit our customers—cash or credit—why not buy at TODAY'S special prices?



A beautiful Baby Carriage..... \$4.50  
Very fine Rattan Baby Carriage 12.50  
A very large and handsome Overstuffed Parlor Suite, 5 pieces, upholstered in Damask..... \$35.00  
Good Tapestry Parlor Suites, 5 pieces, only..... \$14.50  
High Back Oak Dining Room Chair..... 85c up

### Special Bargains.

1½-quart enameled iron Sauce-pot, with cover.....	16 cts.
Handsome large oak Bedroom Suite.....	\$18.50
4-quart enameled iron Coffee Pot.....	37 cts.
Very handsome quartered oak China Closet.....	\$19.50
Large enameled iron Cup Dipper.....	8 cts.
6-ft oak Extension Table.....	\$3.50
Magnificent large oak Bedroom Suite, 50-inch dresser, 38-inch washstand, French plate glass, 4 handsome chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 towel rack, 10 pieces, complete, only.....	\$39.50

**Matting Bargains.**

Good quality Fancy Matting.....	12½c
Very heavy Fancy Matting.....	18c
Extra heavy and fine quality Matting.....	22½c
Finest quality of Japanese Cotton Warp and Damask Matting.....	25 cts.

**Fine Gas Ranges..... \$10.50 UP**  
**Two Burner Gas Stoves, full nickel..... \$1.75**

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Bargains Without Parallel—Values Unquestioned—and Prices

## THE LOWEST ON RECORD!!

Just a few prices to acquaint wage-earners what good things we have for them. Early comers have a magnificent selection to pick from.

### The Little Chaps a Chance

CHILDREN'S Splendid Suits, well made, well trimmed, and will be sold at the price of manufacture. Good careful salesmen to fit the children properly.....

**1,000 98c a suit.**

**Men's Single Pants.**  
Worth \$2.50—good materials—well made—perfect fitting.....

**98c a pair.**

Extra salesmen secured to wait upon all. The above few quotations are but a moiety of what great values we are giving. Parents are particularly reminded that no better time than the present will offer to equip the little fellows at a moderate outlay.

**Union Clothier**

### MEN'S SUITS.

buys Men's Nice Cassimere Suits—light—mixed—and plain fabrics. Well worth \$11.00.

**\$5.50**

buys light and dark Cassimere Suits, up to the "hilt" in style and beauty—perfect fit guaranteed and polite salesmen to wait upon you. These suits are retailed here in town at \$14.00 and \$15.00.

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